

A FEW THINGS SET THEM BACK. Calgary suffered the worst flood in recent memory midrenovation, when all of the furniture was stored in the basement (which, of course, flooded). And though they hadn't planned to touch the ceiling, they discovered mice had taken over the place. So down came the ceiling. But up went pot lights and a built-in music system-and a beautiful result. Designer Michael

Sugarman wanted to keep the space true to the house's 1950s origins - and conveniently, midcentury modern style is experiencing a resurgence in popularity. He designed most of the furniture himself, so it's truly made for the aesthetic of the house. Because, as Shugarman points

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out, "We didn't want to turn the place into something it wasn't." Good plan. SOURCES: Design, Michael Shugarman, Templar Architecture and Design, 403-230-0601. Leather ottoman, sofa, chairs, lounger and side table, designed by Michael Shugarman. Soapstone statuette, Tall Man, 1992, Hazelton Lanes Gallery, 416-923-7272. Painting above chair, McLeod Trail, Franklin D. Palmer, Hodgins Art Auctions, 403-

> 252-4362. Wicker ottomans, orange pillows, IKEA, 403-273-4338. Painting beside fireplace, Face #3, Yvon Goulet, Quab Gallery, 403-261-2855. Red vases, Torre and Tagus, torretagus.com. Multicolour bowl, Arabeska, arabeska.ca. Flowers, Flourish By Design, 403-263-7157.

